

**NO LAGGING IN CONTEST**

All Candidates Were Substantially Supported Yesterday.

**CLOSE RACE FOR CERTIFICATE**

Miss Dimmock Won Over Mrs. Gayle With Majority of Only Three Votes—Everybody Still Has Chance For Friday's Special Credits.

Unusual interest was displayed in the Daily Press diamond ring and gold watch contest yesterday. Nearly all of the candidates received sub-

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close, Miss Dimmock winning by only three majority.

Miss Dimmock has now won two of the three certificates which have been awarded since last Friday. Mrs. Gayle took the third. Mr. Wm. R. Rogers, of Bremond Lodge, No. 241,

**ALONG THE WATERFRONT**

More Ships In Port During April Than In Any Other Month.

**BIG MONTH IN COAL SHIPMENTS**

Aggregate of Nearly Sixty Thousand Tons, Valued at \$158,919, Went to Foreign Ports—Coastwise Records Not Completed—Marine Notes.

More vessels entered this port during the past month than in any month of this year, the total arrivals reported for the month being 160 vessels of all kinds, not including regular coastwise liners. Of this number 72 were steamers, 42 schooners and 46 barges.

The following table, compiled from custom house records, shows the number and net tonnage of foreign ships entering port in April:

Nationality	Number	Tons
British	40	\$4,235
German	4	9,636
Dutch	3	8,347
Norwegian	3	5,685
Swedish	2	2,566
Belgian	1	1,785
Danish	1	1,572
Totals	54	114,117

**COAL SHIPMENTS WERE UNUSUALLY LARGE IN APRIL**

Record Fell Only a Little Short of That For March, the Banner Month.

The total shipments of coal from Newport News to foreign ports during the month of April, ending yesterday, aggregated 57,973 tons, valued at \$158,919. This total was 1,551 tons less than the total foreign shipments in March, 1907, the banner month in the port's history, but was several thousand tons in excess of any other single monthly shipment ever made from the port.

More than half of all of the coal shipped foreign during the month was sent to various ports in Cuba, where the next largest shipment was sent to Manila. The remainder was sent to Panama, Mexico, St. Lucia, Jamaica, Porto Rico and Venezuela.

The prospects for a large aggregate of foreign shipments this month are unusually bright, and it is possible that a new record for the trade will be established in May. Two steamers, the Hollinside and Leucra are now in port to load a total of nearly 10,000 tons and many other vessels are under charter for the trade this month.

Following is a list of the foreign shipments in April:

Country	Tons	Value
Cuba	30,730	\$84,609
Manila	7,514	20,664
St. Lucia	6,067	16,219
Colon	5,007	13,769
Jamaica	3,599	9,897
Mexico	3,333	9,167
Porto Rico	1,435	3,845
Venezuela	288	748
Total	57,973	\$158,919

The record of coastwise coal shipments for April has not been completed.

**SHIPPING REPORT**

Tuesday, April 30, 1907.

**Arrived.**  
Steamer Powhatan (Br.), Ballard, London—to Furness, Withy and Co., Ltd., with merchandise.  
Steamer Leucra (Br.), Smith, New York—to Berwind-White Coal Company in ballast.  
Steamer Mounby (Br.), Outhwaite, Port Ingle—to White Oak Coal Company for bunker coal. Steamer entered by Furness, Withy and Company, Ltd.  
Steamer Roon (German cruiser), Old Point Comfort—to Smokeless Fuel Company for bunker coal.  
Steamer Cyrus Field (U. S. army mine steamer), Old Point Comfort.  
Schooner Prescott Palmer, Carlisle.

Boston—to White Oak Coal Company in ballast.

**Cleared.**  
Steamer Enfield (Br.), Dunn, St. Lucia—to Berwind-White Coal Company.  
Steamer Taff (Br.), Nilson, Cardenas—to Berwind-White Coal Company.  
Barge Braddock for Fall River—Berwind-White Coal Company.  
Barge Iowa for Providence—C. H. Arnal.  
Barge Fannie for Providence—C. H. Arnal.  
Barge New York for Providence—C. H. Arnal.

**Sailed.**  
Steamers Taff (Br.), Nilson, Cardenas; Aislaby (Br.), Ridgewood, Stettin; Bay Port, Jensen, Boston; Summer (U. S. army transport), Scott, Jamestown Exposition and Washington, D. C.  
Schooner Mary E. Palmer, Sweet, Searspont.

**Marine Notes**

The British steamer Powhatan, of the Furness-Withy Line, arrived in port yesterday from London, with 917 tons of imports which she will discharge here and load a cargo of exports for the return trip to London.

The British steamer Leucra arrived in port yesterday from New York to load a full cargo of coal for Havana, Cuba.

The British steamer Enfield cleared yesterday for St. Lucia with a cargo of 2,967 tons of coal, valued at \$8,159.

The British steamer Taff sailed yesterday for Cardenas, Cuba, with a cargo of 845 tons of coal, valued at \$2,321.

The British steamer Fashoda 75 expected to arrive in port today to load a full cargo of coal here for West Indian ports.

**ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS**

Noted Physician Tells How to Prevent and Cure Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

(By George Edmund Flood, M. D.)  
If you would avoid Rheumatism and Kidneys and Bladder Troubles be moderate in the consumption of heavy, rich foods, substitute as far as possible soups, broths, fresh milk, and drink water—lots of water. Take plenty of time to eat, and don't eat after you have had enough, even if it does taste good. If your work is confining take a moderate amount of exercise each day in the open air.

Of course, neither diet, water, rest nor exercise will cure these afflictions. I advise them as preventives only. For the benefit of the readers of this article who are now afflicted with Rheumatism, Kidney, Bladder or Urinary trouble, and desire to be cured quickly, I give below, complete in every detail, the famous prescription which has made me so successful in the treatment of these diseases. It is the most certain cure for these diseases that I have ever used. It is pleasant to take, it is not expensive, it can be filled by any druggist, and I believe it is the greatest prescription for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouble ever written. It is also a valuable spring tonic and blood purifier. If you are a sufferer, save this, take it to your druggist and have it filled, or get the ingredients and mix them at home.

Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, 1-2 ounce; Concentrated Barkola Compound, 1 ounce; Fluid Extract Prickly Ash Bark, 1-2 drachm; Aromatic Elixir, 4 ounces.

Adult dose, take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime; children, one-fourth to one-half teaspoonful after meals.  
After you are cured follow the advice I have given you in regard to diet, exercise and water, and you will not need the service of a physician again for these ailments.  
Other papers are privileged to copy.

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**Goes With the Wise Publishing House.**

Mr. W. E. Carman, who has been employed as compositor on the Daily Press for sometime past, has resigned and accepted a position with the Wise Publishing House at 29th street and Washington Avenue (basement), as manager and foreman of the job printing department. Mr. Carman is a first-class and artistic printer and as he has many friends in the city no doubt will be successful in his new position. 4-28-17

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**STANDING OF CONTESTANTS****LADIES.**

Mrs. M. W. Gayle, Bethel Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy	12,925
Miss Cora Dimmock, St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday School	6,893
Mrs. P. B. Cross, Lady Maccabees	3,268
Mrs. J. B. Clinedinst, Ladies' Aid Society, Trinity M. E. Church	2,103
Mrs. Elbert Nexsen, Joseph Charles Auxiliary, Newport News General Hospital	1,893
Mrs. Geo. W. Nelms, John W. Daniel Chapter D. of C.	1,352
Mrs. R. W. Powell, Lady Maccabees	71
Mrs. E. T. Ivy, Second Baptist church	42

**GENTLEMEN.**

Wm. R. Rogers, Bremond Lodge, No. 241, A. F. & A. M.	11,009
E. L. Cunningham, Newport News Lodge No. 314, B. P. O. E.	4,953
H. B. Gregory, Rector's Club	2,486
Abe Horwitz, Newport News Lodge, No. 315, B. P. O. E.	364
W. F. H. Enos, Peninsula Lodge, No. 278, A. F. & A. M.	42
A. L. Evans, Independent Order Odd Fellows	55
M. J. O'Connell, Knights of Columbus	30
F. C. Bivins, Knights of Pythias	29
E. B. Cameron, Y. M. C. A.	14
Rev. Arthur O. Sykes, D. D., Rector St. Paul's P. E. Church	12

stantial support during the day and the table this morning shows numerous changes.

Mr. H. B. Gregory, of the Rector's Club, and Miss Cora Dimmock, of St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday School, were the winners of the honor certificates. The race between Miss Dimmock and Mrs. M. W. Gayle, of Bethel Chapter, Daughters of Confederacy, was very

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A. F. & A. M. has taken two of the three certificates for gentlemen and Mr. Gregory has one to his credit.

All of the candidates still have a chance to win the special credits of 500 votes which will be awarded to the lady and gentleman holding the largest number of honor certificates Friday evening. It is understood that one or two are preparing to make a strenuous effort to land the certificates today, tomorrow and Friday.

Mr. Rogers and Mrs. Gayle are still in the lead. The contest is now passing its fourth week and has just a little over a week more to run.

**STEAMER PYMAN DOCKED.**

New Propeller Being Installed on the Vessel.

The British steamer George Pyman was floated into dry dock No. 2, at the shipyard, yesterday morning to have a new propeller installed. The new propeller has just been made at the yard to replace the ship's spare one, which was broken by falling into the bottom of dry dock No. 2, while being hoisted out of the ship's hold last Sunday two weeks ago.

The Pyman broke her original wheel while ashore at Point Breeze sometime ago. The work of installing the propeller should be completed within a few days and the steamer will then sail for Norfolk.

**Mr. Kent Here.**  
Mr. C. C. Kent, who for about fifteen years was secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association here, returned to Clifton Forge yesterday after spending several days with friends in the city. Mr. Kent is now general secretary of the Clifton Forge Railroad Association, but he has accepted a call from the Danville Association and will go there on June 1. Danville has raised \$40,000 to build and equip a new association home and Mr. Kent is now assisting in selecting plans for the structure.

Mr. J. M. Piercy, who has been in Roanoke for several months working on a new railway depot constructed there by Contractor West Richardson, of this city, has returned home.

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